

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A secure cage for use in a manhole for surrounding a splice box in which fiber optic or other cable is spliced together in the development of a telecommunication system for business users. The secure cage includes approximately four panels, hinged together, which may be collapsed to facilitate its locating and storage, and which may be erected, down in the manhole, to enclose each splice box and its spliced cables, segregating the telecommunications for each business user from each other.